

YUAN SHI KAI AGREES TO REPUBLIC

On Condition That He Is Nominated President of the New Government

WU TING FANG REFUSES TO MAKE A GUARANTEE

But Willing to Let Yuan Shi Kai Take Chances; Thinks He Might Be Elected

SHANGHAI, Dec. 21.—Premier Yuan Shi Kai has offered to concede the establishment of the Chinese republic if he promised the presidency.

Wu Ting Fang, the revolutionary minister of foreign affairs, who is conducting the peace negotiations with Imperial Envoy Tang Shao Yi here, refused to accept the recognition of the republic on these terms. But he says if Yuan Shi Kai concedes the republic he will be nominated for the presidency, and he believes that Yuan Shi Kai's election is certain.

Sun Yat Sen, an American Chinese, who is declared to have been the instigator of the rebellion, but to whom this credit has been denied by the rebel minister of foreign affairs, Wu Ting Fang, has left Hong Kong in company with Homer Lea, the military expert. They are bound for Shanghai. Sun Yat Sen has been slated for the presidency of the Chinese republic, according to the reports reaching here, and from one source it is declared he had been elected at Nanking. But these reports have failed of substantiation, and it is even denied by Wu Ting Fang that Sun Yat Sen is connected with the revolution. Both Sun Yat Sen and Homer Lea refused to make any statement before leaving Hong Kong, according to dispatches from there.

ARMISTICE EXTENDED UNTIL DECEMBER 30

Practically the whole session of the conference between the delegates of the imperial government and the revolutionists yesterday was devoted to Wu Ting Fang's speech in favor of a republic. Tang Shao Yi, whose powers are clearly limited, expressed his willingness to accept Wu Ting Fang's views, but declared that the matter was so important that he must first communicate with Peking, and he suggested that a settlement be left to the National Assembly, but made no counter proposals.

Thus neither side presented a well-defined scheme, and the conference again was indefinitely adjourned.

It was announced the armistice has been extended to December 30.

PACKERS SEEK TO LESSEN COUNTS

Judge Carpenter Refuses to Dismiss Any Counts of Indictment

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—Federal Judge Carpenter in the district court today made it certain that the trial of the ten packers indicted for criminal conspiracy under the Sherman law will continue, when he denied a motion by the packers' attorneys that two of the seven counts of the indictment be dismissed. The defense took exception to the ruling.

PERSIA NAMES DEPUTIES TO CONFER WITH RUSSIA

TEHERAN, Dec. 21.—The Majlis by a vote of 39 to 19 at a late hour last night accepted the proposal of the foreign minister to appoint a commission of five deputies with plenary powers to deal with the Russian ultimatum.

This is a victory for the cabinet. It is stated that the regent had previously threatened to resign unless the proposal was adopted.

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Decorated China Cups and Saucers, all the fancy shapes, at 25c up, at the American Tea Co., 215 East Fourth St.

Finest line of Christmas cigars in town, boxes at 50c and up. The Smoke House, next to Bell Theater.

Gen Wood Lauds Detective Sam Browne on Work

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21.—Detective Samuel L. Browne today received a letter from Major General Wood, chief of staff of the federal army, congratulating Browne on his work in the McNamara case. The letter said: "I want to extend my sincere congratulations on your good work in Los Angeles. It is only a continuation, in a much broader and more important field, of the good work which you did in the Philippine division. Your success there was particularly gratifying to me as it serves to confirm the opinion I had formed of your ability and integrity while in the service of the military authorities in the Philippines."

Bulletins of News

Hot from the wire up to 3:30 p. m.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Friday; severe frost in the morning; light north wind.

Biggest Gun to Shoot; Fire Biggest Projectile
BERLIN, Dec. 21.—The Krupp works at Essen are reported to be constructing a fifteen-inch gun which will be the biggest piece of artillery ever constructed. The length of the gun, it is said, will be sixty-five and a half feet, and its projectile will weigh nearly 7880 pounds.

Porte Sees Way to End Turkish-Italian War
LONDON, Dec. 21.—A dispatch from Salonika to the Times says it is believed that the porte has found a means of settling the war with Italy but complete independence and the dissolution of the chamber is indispensable to the carrying out of the scheme.

Fleming Murder Trial Is Nearing End
REDDING, Cal., Dec. 21.—The Fleming murder trial, now in its eleventh week, will close today so far as taking evidence is concerned. J. J. Carroll, of San Jose, the defense's last witness, took the stand this morning. Adjournment will be taken until Tuesday after Christmas, when arguments will open.

114 Christmas Turkeys Driven on Snow-Covered Roads
MONTGOMERY, Mo., Dec. 21.—A drove of 114 Christmas turkeys was driven to this city by Crane Brothers of Mineola. They weighed 6174 pounds and were sold for fifteen cents per pound. They were two days coming over the snow-covered roads and were almost exhausted when they reached here.

Safe Crackers Rob Portland Postoffice Station
PORTLAND, Dec. 21.—Knocking off the combination of the safe in postoffice substitution A in East Portland, safe crackers escaped with \$1000 in cash, \$500 in stamps and several packages of registered mail which had been locked in the strong box.

RUSSIAN GIRLS IN NUPTIAL MARKET AT SO MUCH PER

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21.—Fleeing to the home of her American sweetheart for protection from the alleged attempt of her Russian parents to force her to marry, on twenty-four hours' notice, a man whose name she was not even told, pretty Elsie Natakoff has exposed what is declared by the authorities to be an established custom extensively carried on in Los Angeles, of selling young Russian girls into matrimony, for prices varying from \$50 to \$500. Elsie's charm is indicated by the fact that she was to have brought the highest figure known, \$500.

The girl's parents took the affair to court yesterday, charging their daughter with delinquency and endeavoring to force her to return to their home at 710 Turner street, stating she is only fifteen years old. Ray Hallack, the young man whom the girl wants to marry, engaged attorneys to contest the case on the ground that she is at least eighteen years old, and can marry him without her parents' consent.

The case was continued until January 2.

WINDSTORM RUIN TOLIVER'S MUCH FEARED AIRSHIP

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 21. A severe wind and rainstorm swept this region last night. Among other of its effects was to settle for the city the troublesome question of removing C. H. Toliver's dirigible but non-flying airship by battering the great gas bag until it burst. The hydrogen gas, which it was asserted would blow up a third of the city if ignited or suffocate residents if it was released, escaped without injuring anybody.

Special sale on pipes this week at the Smoke House, next to Bell Theater.

NO OBJECTIONS TO FRANCHISE TAX

Pacific Telephone Will Not Balk at Taking Out Franchise In Santa Ana

FEW PROVISIONS NEED ADJUSTING

Matter of Placing Power Lines In Conduit With Telephone Not Desirable

There seems to be no probability of any hitch in the application and granting of a franchise to the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co. The telephone company has no objection to paying the two per cent franchise tax from the start, but the franchise application drawn up by City Attorney Heathman has a few provisions that will be adjusted, probably without friction.

At a meeting of the city trustees Monday night, the city attorney stated that the application had been taken by a Pacific official to Los Angeles for examination. The impression received was that the telephone official objected to incorporating a provision to the effect that the company must immediately begin paying the two per cent tax, two per cent of its gross income. The city attorney now says he did not intend to give any such an impression, and Local Manager Morrow of the telephone company states that his company has at no time expected to do otherwise than pay from the start.

The application as drawn by the city attorney has a provision that a part of the wires shall be placed in conduits. It also provides that the same conduit may be used for electric wires. The telephone company objects to the provision that the conduit may be used for electric wires. The reason is that a cross-current of electric wires might burn out cables of the telephone company. Manager Deimling of the Edison company states that the conduit should not be used for both telephone and power and light.

TAFT SIGNED TREATY'S END

Later Exchanged Felicitations With Czar on "Nicholas Day" in Russia

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—President Taft returned to the capital from New York at 7:15 o'clock this morning, and immediately after reaching his office he signed the joint Russian treaty abrogation resolution passed by Congress. Secretary Knox was the only official present when the resolution was signed.

PRESIDENT AND CZAR EXCHANGE COURTESIES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—An exchange of courtesies between President Taft and Czar Nicholas of Russia, took place today, which is "Nicholas day in Russia," as a cable message announced to the White House. President Taft cabled the Czar as follows: "I beg to offer your majesty cordial felicitations on this anniversary, and assurances of my highest regard and my good wishes for your self and the nation over which your majesty presides."

Czar Nicholas cabled in reply: "Pray accept my cordial thanks for your congratulations, and my good wishes."

NEW RAILROAD CO. TO GO FROM NEEDLES TO MOJAVE

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 21.—Articles of incorporation of the California, Arizona & Santa Fe Railway company, capitalized at \$50,000,000, were filed today in the office of Secretary of State Jordan. The new company was assessed \$5,203 for a filing fee. The territory to be traversed is from Needles to Mojave, a distance of 203.55 miles. Officers and directors are: A. G. Wells, president; C. Holterhoff, secretary and treasurer; I. L. Hibbard, John J. Byrne and E. W. Camp. One \$100 share of stock is credited to each of the above, while the Santa Fe railway subscribers, 2425 shares of the same value. The territory affected is said to be traversed by the Atlantic and Pacific road.

ANOTHER TRIAL TO DIG OUT MADE

Men Sleeping In Corridor Did Some More Work on Bricks of North Wall

JAIL IS CROWDED BY HOBO ELEMENT

Arrangements being made For Use of Santa Ana City Jail By the County

Prisoners in the county jail made another attempt last night to dig out. The jail has been so badly crowded recently that jailer Jernigan had to put about thirty prisoners in the felony department, where ordinarily there are but ten or twelve. Most of these men have to sleep on the floor of the corridor outside the steel cage.

About two weeks ago before the jail was crowded, a number of prisoners accused of felonies tried to dig out by scratching out the mortar from around bricks of the north wall. The plan was found out by Sheriff Ruddock and his deputies, and the attempt came to nothing. At that time the prisoners scratched out mortar from around four or five bricks. Last night they worked at the same spot, having nothing to work with, however, but a piece of stiff wire, and got into the wall the width of a brick deeper. There they struck a piece of stone adjoining the window on the outside, and had to stop.

This morning Jernigan discovered that the prisoners had been at it again. There is only one way to prevent any further attempts, and that is to make the thirty men sleep like cordwood inside the steel cage, or make use of the city jail. Arrangements are being made today whereby the county can use the city jail.

GEN. REYES WILL BE THE PRESIDENT OF MEXICO. SAYS SON

EL PASO, Dec. 21.—"Ciudad Juarez will fall within fifteen days, Chihuahua city will capitulate within thirty days and General Bernardo Reyes will be in the presidential chair in Mexico City before the end of three months."

This is the summary of the Mexican situation as given by Alfonso Reyes, a younger son of General Reyes, who has been here since Monday. In a conversation with friends today, young Reyes declared that his father would be the next president of Mexico and that his ascension to the presidential chair and to the palace at Chapultepec would come before the middle of March.

GOMEZ DECLARES ORDER FOR SERVICE NOT LEGAL

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 21.—Dr. Francisco Vasquez Gomez, candidate for vice president of Mexico in the late elections and former representative at Washington for the Madero revolution, has issued a statement declaring against Madero's recent order for compulsory military service.

MAN MISTAKEN FOR BANDIT IS TRUSTED EMPLOYEE OF FIRM

PORTLAND, Dec. 21.—The police theory that Frank Kelley, perhaps fatally wounded in a pistol duel with Policeman Howson, also seriously hurt, was the "red-haired boy bandit" of Tacoma was disproved this afternoon when a member of the H. F. Norton Company identified Kelley as one of the firm's trusted employees. Kelley believed Howson was a highwayman and was preparing to run when the policeman fired.

WIND AND SNOW VISITS THE MIDDLE WEST WITH DAMAGE

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 21.—A heavy snow, worth millions to farmers, covers the wheat country from the Dakotas to Texas, and from the Rockies to the Mississippi river. A ninety-mile gale, accompanied by torrential rains, swept over the southwest yesterday, fendering ships on the gulf, damaging truck farms, causing washouts and demolishing street car service.

MORMON CHOR HAD ARTISTIC SUCCESS— \$20,000 DEFICIT

SALT LAKE, Dec. 21.—An artistic success and a financial failure was the eastern tour of the famous Mormon tabernacle choir. Although the choir was received favorably at the New York land show, and elsewhere, the guarantors will be requested to make up a deficit of \$20,000 in its expense account, according to the statement made public today.

URGES QUICK ACTION ON CURRENCY REPORT

Taft's Latest Message to Congress Deals With Country's Finances, Canal Zone Control and the Army

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—President Taft today sent Congress a special message on the financial condition of the treasury, needed banking and currency reforms, and departmental questions. The message cited the fact that the finances of the nation at the close of the fiscal year ending June thirty, 1911, stood: Ordinary receipts, exclusive of postal revenues, \$701,372,374; disbursement, \$654,137,307.

President Taft's message referred particularly to the currency reforms, declaring that the monetary commission's report would be presented to congress in the near future, and urged prompt consideration and action upon the commission's report. Referring to the central bank plan the message says:

"It is unfortunate that the wise and undisputed policy of maintaining the banking system, rendered it impossible to introduce the central bank, for a central bank would certainly be resisted and any plan into which it could have been introduced would probably have been defeated. But as the central bank could not be a part of the only plan discussed, he considered that the troublesome question was eliminated. Ingenious and novel as the proposed National reserve association appears, it simply is the logical outgrowth of what is best in the present system, and is, in fact, the fulfillment of that system."

Referring to the navy, the President again urged a national council of defense.

ATWOOD DROPPED 1500 FEET IN AIR

Regained Control of Hydroplane and Made Record Air Flight Yesterday

MARBLEHEAD, Mass., Dec. 21.—Harry N. Atwood, the aviator, experienced what was probably his narrowest escape from sudden death yesterday afternoon when a new hydro-aeroplane he was testing for what subsequently proved a record breaking flight, dropped from an altitude of 2000 feet to within 500 feet of the ground before he regained control of it.

Everybody thought Atwood had finished with flying, so far as yesterday was concerned, when he landed, but he said otherwise. He found a newspaperman whose courage measured up to the test, and started on a cross land and water flight, during which he circled the city of Lynn four times and Minot's light, four miles off the Winthrop coast, once, for a distance of eighty miles before landing, which he claims as a record for continuous flight in an aeroplane of the hydroplane type.

DYNAMITE PROBE IS NEARING END

Only Few More Witnesses to Be Examined—Important Witnesses Today

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21.—The first witness to go before the federal grand jury when it resumed the dynamite investigations today was Fred Goodrich, stepson of J. E. Munsey, the Salt Lake labor leader. He was followed by his mother, Mrs. Munsey. It is believed that Government Prosecutor Lawler called the woman and her son before the inquisitors in an attempt to show that the husband sheltered James B. McNamara some time immediately after the Los Angeles Times explosion. The third witness was J. E. Munsey. He is considered by far the most important witness, with the exception of Orrie McManigal, to appear before the inquisitors.

With only nine more witnesses to be called, the probe into the alleged dynamite plots should be brought to a close not later than noon tomorrow. The witnesses summoned to appear before the inquisitors, but who have not yet been called are Olaf Teitmo, E. A. Clancy, Anton Johannsen, William Brown, John Lofthouse, Eric B. Morton and wife of San Francisco; I. W. Cowles and E. J. Hendricks of Los Angeles.

Most exclusive line of fancy boxes, for the Christmas trade ever shown in Santa Ana, at the Dragon.

Decorated China Chocolate Sets at \$3.50 and up at the American Tea Co., 215 East Fourth St.

COMPROMISE AGREEMENT IS MADE

Country Caucus Solves Deadlock on Reapportionment Quota For Cities

19 SENATORS AND 36 ASSEMBLYMEN YIELDED

Adjournment on Saturday Noon Will Be Voted on Tomorrow

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 21.—A meeting of the country caucus today, at which it was decided to accept a compromise between the Thompson and Rutherford factions on the reapportionment bill, by agreeing to give the cities nineteen senators and thirty-six assemblymen, is considered as the beginning of the end of the deadlock.

A committee appointed by the country caucus and one from the Senate met immediately after the caucus to rearrange lines and to provide for the extra city representation.

SENATORS WANT TO PASS REAPPORTIONMENT BILL

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 21.—A vote upon the resolution of the senate setting Saturday noon as the date for adjournment was deferred until tomorrow morning. Wolfe, Stetson and Curran declared that they would favor remaining in session until spring if necessary to secure the passage of a fair reapportionment bill.

LOS ANGELES BOMBARDED SACRAMENTO FOR RIGHTS

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21.—Vigorous action to obtain for Los Angeles Co., what she considers her constitutional rights with respect to legislative apportionment, was taken by the chamber of commerce yesterday. Numerous protests were sent to Governor Johnson and to Los Angeles members of both houses against the so-called "country" bill for reapportionment, supported by Assemblyman Randall.

FRANZ JOSEF NEARS DEATH

Has But Few More Days to Live, Says Report—Court Says He Is Improved

VIENNA, Dec. 21.—Emperor Franz Josef of Austria-Hungary, is reported to have but a few days at most to live. He is critically ill, says report, despite the official announcement that he is much "improved."

The announcement from the palace is accepted as authentic, but the report that his condition is precarious is given full credence. The police this afternoon seized and burned the editions of those newspapers which published pessimistic stories of the Emperor's condition.

ROSE EYTINGE, FAMOUS ACTRESS, PASSES AWAY

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Miss Rose Eytinge, a well-known emotional actress, died yesterday at the Brunswick home, Amityville, L. I., where she has been for several years in care of the Actors' Fund of America.

Miss Eytinge was for many years a leading figure in theatrical life and was at one time leading woman of the Wallack Company and the A. M. Palmer Union Square Theater Company.

AVIATOR WILL RACE WITH MOTORCYCLIST

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21.—The contest rules committee of the race between Calbraith P. Rodgers, coast to coast aviator, and Jake De Rosier, world's champion motorcyclist, who will race in an air-versus-earth speed contest at Ascot Park next Sunday, yesterday ordered that the birdman sail not higher than twenty-five feet from the ground. The ruling makes the race more hazardous for De Rosier.

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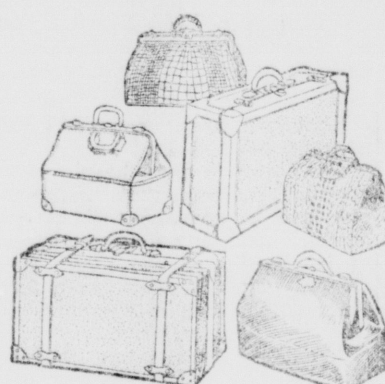
Xmas Handkerchiefs from 10 to 50c Silk Hosiery, all colors, 50c to \$1.25 Silk Neckwear, all colors, 25c to \$1 Fownes' Kid Gloves\$1.75
Xmas Hosiery from15c up Xmas Suspenders25c to \$1.25 Guaranteed Kid Gloves\$1.25 Dent's Kid Gloves\$2.00

Every Man will Be Disappointed if Santa Claus Doesn't Leave Him a Fine Bath Robe and a Smoking Jacket or House Coat
We never had such an elegant line to show you. Nor never such values for the money. Come and see for yourself.
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AT THE COURT HOUSE

ASKS \$3825 IN DAMAGES

Cuccia Blames Schindledacker
For Collision of Autos
on Bridge

Woman's Face Disfigured, For
Which Damages of \$2500
Is Sued

Declaring that G. W. Schindledacker
was responsible for a collision of
automobiles that occurred on a
bridge across the San Gabriel river
between Los Angeles and Whittier on
Sept. 17, 1911, P. L. Cuccia and his
wife, Sarah, have brought damage
suits against Schindledacker for

amounts that total \$3825.

Cuccia filed two complaints. Both
recite that on Sept. 17 Schindledacker's
automobile struck Cuccia's auto-
mobile, wrecked it and caused Mrs.
Cuccia to be thrown into the wind-
shield, on which her nose was se-
verely cut. According to the com-
plaint, the end of the woman's nose
was almost cut off, and she was
otherwise injured. For the ugly and
disfiguring scar the sum of \$2500 is
asked; for the services of a physi-
cian, \$25; for a nurse, \$50; for the
loss to Cuccia for the services of his
wife, \$250; for the damage to the
automobile, \$1000. John C. Stick of

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Los Angeles is attorney for the
plaintiffs.

Cuccia alleges that Schindledacker's
automobile was driven in a care-
less manner, and that the driver
was responsible for the accident.

Marriage Licenses
John E. Tucker, 55, and Alice A.
Watrons, 42, both of Los Angeles;
Frank N. Deane, 34, and Lucy Kirk-
patrick, 38, both of Los Angeles;
Mortimer D. Cartwright, 29, and Jo-
sephine V. Peters, 35, both of Pasa-
dena; George Le Bean, 28, and Lu-
cille M. Boone, 26, both of Los An-
geles.

Edgar H. Stowell, 47, of Laton,
and Laura J. Scott, 43, of Santa Ana;
Harry W. Davis, 23, and Myrtle L.
Brazelton, 17, both of Olanda.

STATE COMPENSATES POWDER MILL VICTIMS

OLYMPIA, Wash., Dec. 21.—Among
the 150 claims passed on by the state
industrial commission Tuesday were
those of the eight girl victims of the
Chickah powder mill fire November
1.

In seven instances relatives were
allowed pensions of \$20 a month to
continue until such time as the vic-
tims would have reached the age of
21.

Get our prices on family washing.
The People's New Laundry. Both
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IN THE JUSTICE'S COURT

A HOT CHASE TO ANAHEIM

Two Men Overhauled and
Brought Back Here For
Trespassing

Deputy Sheriff Squires and Deputy
Constable Law broke a few records
between Santa Ana and Anaheim
yesterday when they caught up with
and arrested two Covina residents
who had been charged with hunting
illegally on the state game preserve
in the Laguna Hills.

The John Doe complaints were
sworn to by R. B. Saunders, who
told the officers that the accused
men were in an automobile headed
north. Squires and Law struck out
in Squires' automobile, and at Ana-
heim overhauled the Covinaites.
They returned to Justice Cox's court

declined absolutely to give their
names, put up \$25 cash bail and
went their way. Squires has since
learned that their names are Warner
and Curtis and that one of them is
a school teacher.

Under Advisement
Justice Cox yesterday took under
advisement the case of Poston &
May against J. J. Downing, a suit
to collect \$150 real estate commis-
sion.

Given Floaters
A half dozen hoboes taken off the
cars by a Santa Fe detective plead-
ed guilty to vagrancy, were given
sixty day sentences and were allow-
ed to go with commitments, with-
held provided they made tracks out
of town immediately.

Warrants Issued
Frank Oakley, deputy state pure
food inspector, today swore to com-
plaints charging William Schu-
macher of Anaheim with having for
sale chopped meats with which sul-
phur dioxide had been used, and
cork sausage with which cereal had
been mixed, and no label placed
thereon. Complaints were sworn to
charging J. W. Bergman and Sam
Oharr of Santa Ana with keeping for
sale pork sausage and chopped meats
that had been treated with sulphur
dioxide.

TENT IS DAMAGED BY WIND OF TODAY

The high wind of last night and
today ripped dozens of holes in the
big tent that was erected for the
Orange County Poultry, Pigeon &
'Lib' Stock Association, which is to
hold their next week. S. J. Jack-
man and others were up until 2 o'-
clock this morning attempting to tie
the tent safely. This morning the
tent began to rip from the ground
at the top, and before it could be
overhauled, many tears had been made.
It is not likely that the tent can be
repaired and ready for the exhibi-
tion. If not, the show will be given
either in the building opposite the
city hall or at Masonic Temple. Hoc-
ee of Los Angeles owns the tent.

The wind broke off a number of
limbs from trees, and a large num-
ber of telephones were out of com-
mission. The Pacific had about 400
of its phones cut off in that way.

Nickle-plated Rayo oil reading
amps make fine Christmas pres-
ents. American Tea Co., 215 East
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We will be open Monday with good
supply of Christmas oysters. Leave
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\$1.50 cwt.; also White and Red Rose
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Special On No. 1 Steer BEEF

Sirloin Steak15c pound
Tenderloin Steak16c pound
T-Bone Steak17c pound
Porterhouse Steak18c pound

Smoked Meats

Hams17c pound
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And lowest prices on Bacon, Hams, Salt Pork and
Lard and Shortenings. Our meats are on display in
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quirements of the churches and schools.

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From 1/2 pound to 3 pound sizes, filled
with California Crystallized Fruits, put
up to send to your eastern relatives.
These boxes will be greatly appreciated
by their recipients. They are very rea-
sonably priced at Taylor Bros.

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from 1 foot to 6 and 7 feet in length, for
Christmas. Order will be taken for any
amount from 3 or 4 canes up to 300 or
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Only a Few Days Left

If you have not found what you want come to us—
we may have it. Remember we have the best line of
cutlery in the city. See us for Aluminum Ware, Nickel-
Plated Ware, Carvers, Boys' Tools, Toys, Express Wa-
gons, Hand Carts, Etc., Etc.

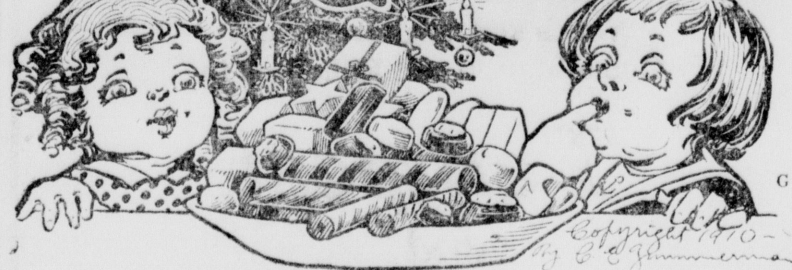
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All the good eatables of the season will be found here—dainties and relishes to spice up your

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FINEST OF FRUIT CAKES
BULK MINCE MEAT
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All the seasonable Fresh Fruits and Vegetables and the best of everything in staple groceries.

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We Know the Peoples Wants

And in buying our holiday stock, were careful to select the right goods at right prices.

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Christmas Post Cards at 1c to 10c each.
Artistic 1912 Calendars at 5c to 25c each.
Christmas Stationery in fancy boxes, 25c to \$5.00.
Games of many kinds, bridge whist sets, dominoes, checkers, etc.
Christmas decorations, tinsel, paper bells, wreaths, etc.
Fountain pens, the leading makes, also the popular priced pens, at \$1.00 up to \$10.00.
Post Card and Photo Albums, 10c to \$2.00.
Dressed Dolls and Dolls to dress, all sizes, 50c to \$15.00.
Japanese woven basketry over decorated china bowls, several sizes, 50c to \$3.00.
Framed pictures, large and small at all prices.
Books, new fiction, poems, books for boys and girls, fables and picture books for children.

Roper's Book Store

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XMAS seems a long time off, but the wise ones will make their appointments ahead for their PHOTOS.

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ROCK ISLAND

INSTITUTE IS ADJOURNED

Walker & Beswick Elected Representatives on Committee

Teachers Favor Plan of Three Days Here, Two in Los Angeles

The Orange County Teachers' Institute adjourned yesterday afternoon after meeting for three days, and commencing with today the teachers will meet for two days with the Southern California Teachers' Association in Los Angeles.

Yesterday afternoon the institute here elected J. F. Walker of Anaheim as the county's representative on the nominating committee of the Southern California Teachers' Association. B. F. Beswick of Santa Ana was chosen to represent the city of Santa Ana, which held its institute with the county.

Yesterday afternoon State Superintendent of Schools Edward Hyatt spoke to the teachers on "Economy." He urged the teachers to practice economy and to try to influence the children to develop habits of economy. He said that the habit of economy among its people will best help the United States in its work of conservation.

Prof. Crozier of Huntington Beach presented the following resolutions, which were adopted by the institute: "Realizing the value and the inspiration of the beautiful in all our work, we recommend that a vote of thanks be extended to the W.C.T.U. and to the decoration committee for the pleasing and artistic decorations with which they have beautified the platform for this institute; to the Santa Ana Board of Education for the use of the high school and commercial high school buildings; to the schools of the county which have contributed to the educational exhibit, and be it recommended that next year the exhibit be made still more general; to the county Y.M.C.A. secretary for his suggestion of forming the Triangle League, and for his co-operation with the teachers in the welfare of the boys and girls of the county; to Miss Shropshire and the girls' quartet for their music; to Miss Winifred Roberts and Mr. Phillips for their entertaining readings; to Superintendent Hyatt for his presence among us and his interest in us.

"Furthermore, be it recommended that this institute be held next year, as it is this, as follows: Three days in Santa Ana, and two days jointly with the Teachers' Association of Southern California.

"Realizing the loss to the educational force of our country, in the death of one of our most efficient teachers, Miss Alice M. Frazier, be it resolved that we extend to her family the sympathy of this body of teachers, and be it

"Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be placed on the minutes of this meeting."

AFTER TWO YEARS BICYCLE RECOVERED

Dr. Menges Gets Back Wheel Stolen From Him Many Months Ago

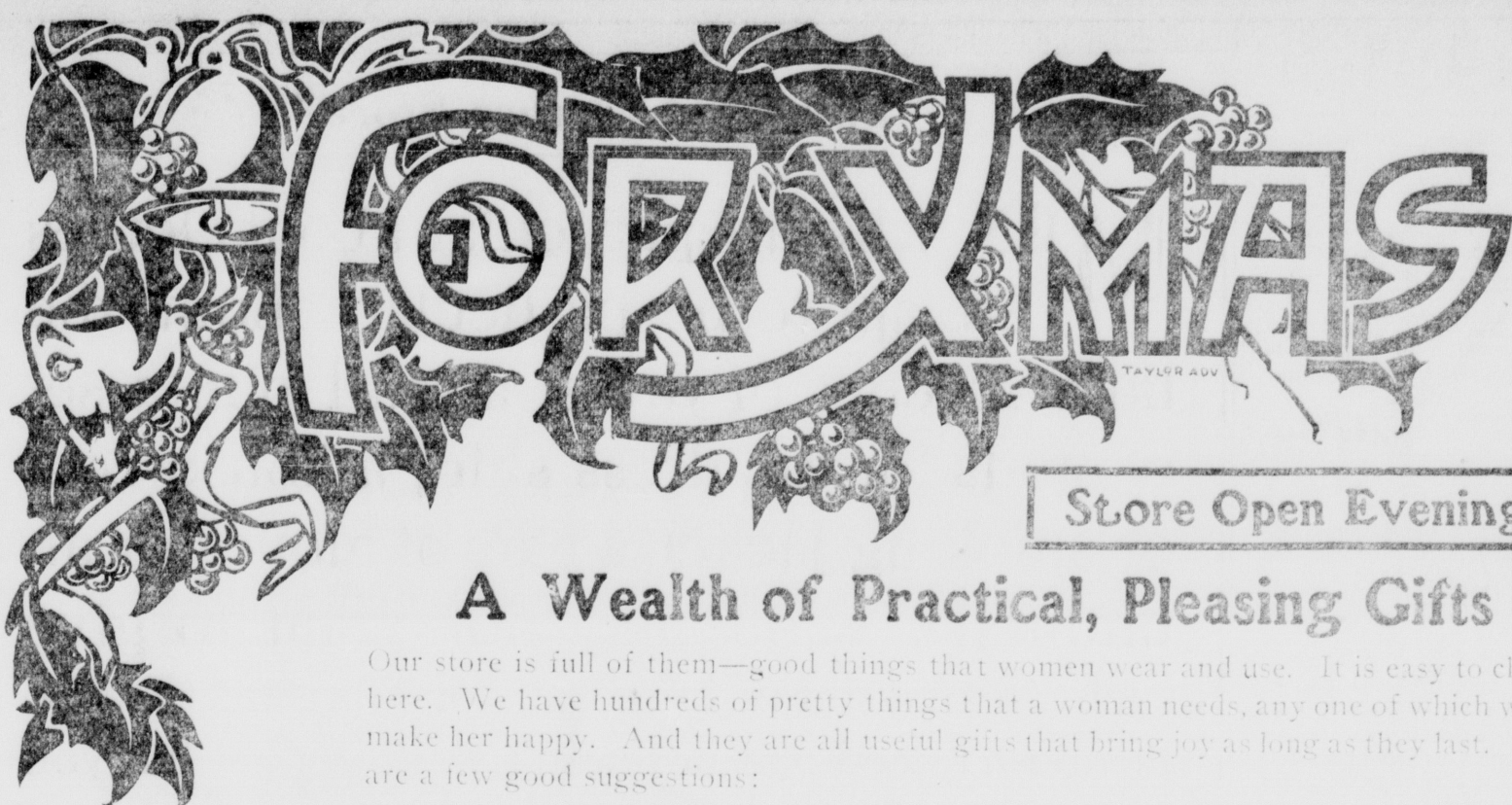
Dr. Menges this morning recovered possession of a bicycle that was stolen from him two years ago last August. He went to the office of City Marshal Wilson today to look for a bicycle that had been lost by his son recently, in the pile of unclaimed bicycles he saw one that had a familiar outline. He had forgotten the number, but when the city marshal looked up the record in the office he found that the bicycle was Dr. Menges' property. The bicycle was found two weeks ago under a walnut tree near the corner of seventeenth and Broadway.

"That is the sixth or seventh bicycle I have found under that tree," said the marshal. "It is my opinion that someone who lives in that part of town takes a bicycle to ride home on, and leaves it there. I imagine that the bicycle that belonged to Dr. Menges was stolen from the man who stole it or from the man who bought it from the man who stole it."

We do superior work on shirts, collars and cuffs. Kindly give us a trial. The People's New Laundry, 901 East Fifth street. Both phones.

El Portana bisque plague, face of El Portana, free with every box of 50 El Portana cigars at the Smoke House, next to Bell Theater.

We will be open Monday with good supply of Christmas oysters. Leave your order anytime. SWANNER & ANDERSON.



Store Open Evenings

A Wealth of Practical, Pleasing Gifts

Our store is full of them—good things that women wear and use. It is easy to choose here. We have hundreds of pretty things that a woman needs, any one of which would make her happy. And they are all useful gifts that bring joy as long as they last. Here are a few good suggestions:

Handsome Linens

A gift of linen always makes a woman's heart glad. Most women count themselves lucky to get any kind of a linen present, for there are few things prettier or more useful. Our linen department is full of rich, snowy linens imported from Belfast, handsome lunch cloths, drawn work, towels, such as we have outlined below:

LUNCH CLOTHS

We have a splendid assortment in new patterns and many sizes. Prices for hem-stitched cloths, \$1.50 to \$4.50.

DAMASK TOWELS

A big stock bought especially for practical gift givers. Beautiful linen towels at 50c to \$1.25 each.

GUEST TOWELS

Made of fine, plain or figured all linen tuck, scalloped or hemstitched ends at 25c and 50c each.

JAPANESE DRAWN WORK

The prettiest work for the money we have ever seen; comes in a variety of patterns in all sizes, dollies, lunch cloths, tray cloths, and scarfs, at prices up to \$3.50.

HAND MADE LACE DOILIES

Real Armenian hand made crocheted lace doilies in all sizes. Prices from 12 1/2c to \$3.00.

NEW TABLE CLOTHS

In handsome patterns with woven borders all ready to hem. We have all lengths from two yards to three and a half. Buy the napkins to match, and you have a handsome set. Prices at \$5.00 up, per set. We have one beautiful, hand woven set, in an old fashioned design that looks like the one your great, great, great-grandmother had, made of the finest Irish linen at \$39.00 per set.

KID GLOVES

We handle a fine French glove, imported direct, the "Jouvan" make. Two button length, latest Paris Point embroidery, in colors of assorted tan, gray, champagne, black and white. Price \$1.50 and \$2.00 a pair.

STREET GLOVES

English walking gloves in fine dressed leather, one button, assorted tans. Price \$1.50.

DRIVING GLOVES

Comes in assorted tans, all sizes, with neat leather gauntlet. Three qualities, at \$1.50, \$1.75, and the best at \$2.75.

FANCY SCARFS

The "Senorita Silk Span" scarf, the all silk, washable scarf, in white and colors, length up to 2 yards, at \$1.25 to \$4.00.

HAND BAGS

We have a splendid line at close prices. We carry the "NO SAG" bag, made with the No-sag frame which makes it impossible to sag in the middle and look sloppy. An all leather bag, leather lined, with coin purse and pocket, costs only \$1.00. We have them at all prices up to \$7.50.

HANDKERCHIEFS

Ardens or Madera all hand embroidered all linen handkerchiefs are the latest. We have some dainty designs in these with one-quarter inch hems, hemstitched, at 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00. Armenian lace trimmed handkerchiefs, real hand made lace, at 50c up to \$1.50. Children's handkerchiefs, put up in boxes, initial and embroidered, 3 in a box 25c. Men's initial handkerchiefs, quarter inch hem, fine linen, plain or elongated initial at 25c and 35c.

EMBROIDERED SILK GLOVES

The "Niagara Maid" embroidered silk gloves, 10 button length, black, white, and colors, at \$2.00 and \$2.50.

COAT SETS

We have some new coat sets in square or Quaker point collars with cuffs to match in cream and white heavy lace. Prices \$1.00 and \$1.50.

LACE YOKES

New patterns in heavy, white lace yokes; collar and yoke woven all in one piece. Price \$1.00 and \$1.50.

But a Fur Is the Best of all



Give Santy a Tip

And "Santy" will not balk at the price, for he can get a mighty good fur for \$10, one that will give a woman that luxurious feeling and afford comfort for years. We have furs from \$1.75 to \$50.00.

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We carry only the higher grades of Morris chairs in the Kelley Automatic chair in leather, imitation leather and velour.

Prices are \$12.00 and up.

Couches

We have a splendid line to select from in both leather and velour upholstery, tufted or untufted.

Leather Couches \$28 to \$40.

Velour Couches, \$8.50 up.

Oak Rockers

If you have not seen our line of oak rockers you have missed the largest stock in town. We have all the finishes and styles. They are priced at \$2.75 to \$17.00.

Dressing Tables and Dressers

Make elegant and useful gifts. In our stock you'll find all styles and woods.

Birdseye Dressing Tables \$12.50 up.

Princess Maple Dressers, \$14 up.

Golden Oak Dressers, \$10 up.

Music Cabinets

No nicer gifts for your friends who own instruments. We have both the musical cabinets and record cabinets for cylinder and disc records, in oak and mahogany.

Music Cabinets, \$8.50 up.

Record Cabinets, \$10 up.



Ladies' Writing Desks

We have them in all the different finishes of oak, also birdseye maple, at \$6.00 up.

Only a few articles can be mentioned of the hundreds of pieces of furniture suitable for Christmas giving. We invite you to call and examine our goods and get our prices. "The Home of Good Furniture."

LIEBIG & JOHNSON

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A LITTLE LAND AND A LIVING

A man who shall be self-sufficient on a little land, a man who contributes nothing to the middleman, but lives next door to the consumer, a man who, if he be not in the city, is yet of the city, with all its attractions and advantages. For this new man there must be a new name with a new significance.

He is neither a farmer, nor a rancher, nor a trucker. He is a scientist. He knows the science of the soil as nobody has ever known it before. He is an artist. With his own hand he produces the finest productions of the land.

He is a man with initiative. He carves new pathways for himself and the race. He is an independent, self-employed man. To his trees, his plants and his vines he gives the ineffable touch of love. He is the spiritual man of the soil.
Those are the requirements set out for the man with a little land, who must live off it. They are severe but the reward is great. No sweeter food is eaten than that gained by one's own labor on one's own soil. No freer man lives than the four-acre farmer—Riverside Enterprise.

FLOW OF IMMIGRATION

Three phases of the immigration problem, each interesting and important in itself, are at the present hour calling for consideration. Foremost is that which brings forward radical restriction of the inflow as a means of steadying and improving the labor market in this country. Next comes the reported change in the attitude of Canada toward immigration from the United States, which may ultimately have the effect of diverting the transatlantic current partly from American to Canadian ports. And next comes the call from the South for the institution of a policy that will mean the distribution of immigrants along lines at least fairly advantageous to that section.

The labor organizations of the United States are said to favor more drastic restrictive measures than any that have been thought of so far; in the demand for them there is no effort to conceal the real purpose, which is to provide work at better remuneration for those already in the country. The present government of the Dominion, it is said, will at once close its immigration offices in the United States and make its appeal direct for British immigration. The South is not complaining of the immigrant tide. Its grievance lies in the fact that of the million of immigrants arriving in the ports of the United States every year only a handful, comparatively speaking, enter the southern states, where millions of acres of excellent land are lying idle and awaiting the industrious settler.

A casual glance at the situation as it is hastily presented here will show the reader that at the root of the immigration problem, considered from an American or a Canadian or a sectional standpoint, is the question of distribution. A million or two of immigrants annually distributed with regard to system and geographical and industrial needs and opportunities would be absorbed so completely as not to cause a ripple. Canada is in need of settlers; the South is in need of settlers; the Pacific Northwest and the Great Southwest welcome settlers; in the United States and in Canada thousands of the newcomers are not of the class desired; in both countries the great body of foreign immigrants cling to the cities and populous districts where they are least wanted.

The attitude of the Canadian government toward American settlers is

A Fresh Lot

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MEN who are particular about clothes are apt to be particular about the little niceties of dress; a scarf pin, a set of studs for the dress shirt, a house coat or smoking jacket, a pair of gloves or an umbrella. You may not want to give such a man a suit or overcoat; for Christmas maybe he doesn't need one, or doesn't want you to; but you can give him pleasure and something he does want without spending too much and without danger of getting the wrong thing.

Here's a little list of large and small things that men like; they're all here, and lots more; see if you don't find in the list just what you'd like to give some man as a Christmas Gift.

Cravenette Suit, Hat Bath Robe House Coat Umbrella Tie, Hose Scarf Pin Cuff Links Sweater Traveling Sets Suit Hangers	Suit Case Hand Bag Dress Shirts Soft Shirts Pajamas Auto Gloves Dress Gloves Holeproof Hose Silk Hose Suspenders Belts, Caps
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Whatever you buy here that proves to be not just what was wanted may be returned for exchange; or the money paid for it will be refunded.

GET THE HABIT—Trading with
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so likely to be misrepresented for political purposes just now that it will be safe to ignore completely the assertion that the Americans are not acceptable. Nobody even slightly acquainted with conditions in western Canada will receive such a statement without serious question. The Americans who have taken up their abode in western Canada have become and are becoming good Canadian citizens. No right-minded person on this side of the line would have them become anything else. They would not be a credit to the country they left or worthy of the country they have gone to should they turn out to be anything less.

Canada is wise, nevertheless, in taking steps which promise a more thorough sifting of immigrants. Like the United States, she wants better ones even though they may be fewer. On the other hand, the South can only hope to turn the tide of immigration in its direction through the prosecution of a campaign of education that will disabuse the European mind of erroneous impressions regarding that section of the country. This should be continuous, not merely sporadic, and it should be carried on in the face of every seeming discouragement. Immigration will flow southward when the South is better known.—Christian Science Monitor.

CITY TO DO ASPHALT REPAIR WORK

Mayor Thum's suggestion that Pasadena will sooner or later find it desirable to do much of its own asphalt work appears to have awakened a responsive echo in Los Angeles. The city engineer has just presented a re-

Particularly the Ladies.

Not only pleasant and refreshing to the taste, but gently cleansing and sweetening to the system, Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna is particularly adapted to ladies and children, and beneficial in all cases in which a wholesome, strengthening and effective laxative should be used. It is perfectly safe at all times and dispels colds, headaches and the pains caused by indigestion and constipation so promptly and effectively that it is the one perfect family laxative which gives satisfaction to all and is recommended by millions of families who have used it and who have personal knowledge of its excellence.

Its wonderful popularity, however, has led unscrupulous dealers to offer imitations which act unsatisfactorily. Therefore, when buying, to get its beneficial effects, always note the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—plainly printed on the front of every package of the genuine Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna.
For sale by all leading druggists. Price 50 cents per bottle.

port to the Board of Public Works urging a municipally-owned plant for the manufacture of material used in the repair of asphalt streets. The question came up in Los Angeles in a communication from the inspector of public works as to the necessity for daily reports of the asphalt supplied on contracts for repairing street surfaces, the suggestions of the city engineer being as follows: "Regarding the matter referred to, I wish to call attention to the desirability of having these tests made and of having all street repairs as systematically made and of as high a standard as possible. Definite records of the extent, location and character of all work done should be available. I do not think there can be any doubt but that better results would be obtained if all such repairs were made by the municipality direct with material obtained from a municipal plant, any private interests involved being called up to pay to the city the cost of any work rendered necessary by their operations."

COMMITTEE RULE

The new Ralph administration, which will assume its duties January 8, has adopted a plan of city government for San Francisco somewhat resembling the commission form at a recent meeting of the Board of Supervisors-elect. The plan is a radical departure from any methods hitherto practiced in San Francisco. The administration of the city and county affairs will be in the hands of eighteen committees, each supervisor being the head of a committee.

For Tired Feet

After a long walk, when the feet feel weary and uncomfortable, try bathing them in warm water with a little eau de Cologne added to it. Dry them and rub in some starch or plain violet powder. On a railway journey it is a good idea to take a pair of light slippers in the traveling bag and change the outdoor boots when in the train.

Alcohol is a good medium with which to rub the feet, and bathing them in salt water is good for some feet, and they are always benefited by the starch powder rub afterward. Cotton stockings of the finest and softest make are excellent wear for tender feet, and many people like cashmere. Many people believe in soaping the heel of a stocking so as to prevent blisters, and shaking starch powder or boracic acid into the stockings before putting them on is another preventive of those crippling worriers.

Danish Rhubarb

Cut the rhubarb in small pieces and wash it. Boil for ten minutes and put enough sugar in it to make it sweet. After it has been boiled for ten minutes take the juice from it in a separate pan and put a few drops of strawberry juice in it. Put one-fourth cupful of corn starch and one-half cupful of sugar or more, if not sweet

enough. Then boil for five minutes. When cool and ready to serve, put one teaspoon of sugar and as much milk as you wish. This will make a dainty dish.

We do expert laundry work. The People's New Laundry. Both phones.

Christmas tree decorations in great variety, at the Dragon.

Order that box of candy packed especially for you at the Dragon.

J. W. Shaul, M. D., eye, ear, nose and throat. Glasses fitted. 110 1/2 East Fourth St., Santa Ana. Both phones.

There'll Be Plenty of Room There Customer, giving order for funeral wreath to a florist's German assistant: "One wreath with large white streamers on, please, which have 'Rest Easy' on each side, and, if there is room, 'We Will Meet in Heaven.'"
The result: "Rest easy on each side, and if there is room we will meet in heaven."—Chicago Tribune.

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FRANCE HONORS PEARY WITH GOLD MEDAL AWARD

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—A communication received here from the Academy of Sports, of France, states that a gold medal has been awarded to Admiral Peary "for the admirable lesson of physical energy and moral courage that you have given to the entire world in pursuing, in the midst of fatigues, sufferings and difficulties, the conquest of the North Pole." The resolution was moved by Dr. Charcot, the French Antarctic explorer.

TESTIMONY MAY PROVE LEWIS IS GIRL'S MURDERER

Oroville, Cal., Dec. 21.—Satisfied that a case strong enough for conviction has been made out against Arthur Lewis, charged with the murder of Helen Rumball, aged 11, by killing her in the garret of her home at Gridley in this state, concluded its testimony in the trial of Lewis today, with testimony aiming to show the defendant has abnormal strength which he is alleged to have used in strangling the girl.

DOROTHY ARNOLD AGAIN FOUND—THIS TIME IN NORFOLK

NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 21.—The Rescue Mission of this city is housing a mysterious young woman whose appearance and actions have convinced the matron that she is the missing Dorothy Arnold. The girl says her name is Katherine Stanley and her home is in Washington. When told that she resembled Dorothy Arnold she ran to her room and remained an entire day. Several days ago she saw a newspaper containing an announcement that Dorothy Arnold had been missing a year, carried it to her room and cut out the article. She was found in tears an hour later. She is weeping most of the time and refuses to be interviewed.

20-ACRE ORANGE GROVE PURCHASED BY DOCTOR MCGILL

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 21.—A 20-acre 5-year-old grove in the famous Rialto district was sold yesterday by H. A. Eberline of Riverside and C. Paxton of Los Angeles to Dr. McGill of Redlands, for \$23,000. The grove fronts on Sycamore avenue, with corners on the famous Rialto terrace. Fifteen acres are planted to valencias and five to navels.
This is the second 20-acre 5-year-old grove purchased by Dr. McGill in the Rialto district within several weeks.

SILVER Mesh Bags

Indestructible besh, solid link chain handle. Has the appearance of a sterling silver bag. Prices \$1.50 to \$10.00.

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Springs \$2.50 to \$10.00
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Woods and Chalker present
Quina Marion and Billie Loe in

Tempest and Sunshine

Dramatization of Mary J. Holmes' novel of the same name.
Seats now on sale at Rowley Drug Co. Prices 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00.

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Dec. 21, 22, 23, 24

Thursday, Friday Saturday and Sunday
RICE AND MATHEWS'
English Pantomime and Vaudeville Co.

See The

Trick Donkey
Giant Skaters
Trick Horse
Indian Postering

Admission 10c, 20c, 30c. Two Shows Nightly, 7:30 and 9.

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Special Attraction

The Hamiltons Comedy Entertainers.
3 Big Reels 'Billy' Fitchett, New Song
Sings to beat the band.

Xmas Special Matinee, 2:30. Every Child gets a Present in lobby.
of the Bell at 2 p. m. All children are invited.

COMING Thursday, Friday, Dec. 28 and 29,
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Put Red Cross Stamps on all mail.

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Always newest and best in pictures. Matinee Saturday.
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Knives and Forks	Cold Meat Forks
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Splendid assortment of two and three piece carvers in plain, stag and ivory handles; plain or nickel ferules; plain or satin lined boxes; the finest of cutlery at \$1.50 to \$8.50.

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Mr. C. W. Swartz has shipped here from the northern states one car load of well matched teams of all colors, ranging from 1200 to 1400 lbs. All horses are young and unblemished.
Mr. Swartz will take pleasure in showing them to all lovers of good horse flesh. These horses will sell at a reasonable figure.
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CELEBRATED BIRTHDAY

Young Married People's Class Had Merry Anniversary and Reunion

The always pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Stearns, 813 E. street, was the scene of a happy Christmas gathering yesterday evening, the occasion being the anniversary meeting and reunion of the Young Married People's Class of the First Methodist church. The class is two years old and has grown from a membership of six to a membership of forty-two.

The business and devotional meeting for the month had been held a week early, so that yesterday evening was devoted entirely to pleasure. First came a short but greatly enjoyed program, one number of which was the reading of a Christmas letter from Mrs. J. C. Courtney, a recent member of the class who has moved to Seligman, Arizona. Her description of that place would never induce anyone to leave "good, old sunna Southern California."

Following the program was a guessing contest, the prize being won by Mr. Earl Stice; then a search for Christmas stamps, Mrs. G. V. Cook winning first prize, while Mrs. Stice and Mr. E. D. Johnson won the consolation. A jolly time was had in matching sections of proverbs. A large basket of presents was distributed, each one being required to give a rhyme about the gift received.

Delicious home-made candies were

enjoyed to the fullest accompanied by nuts, raisins and the red-cheeked apple.

The rooms were tastefully decorated with red roses, holly, poinsettias, plumosus fern and pretty, red Christmas bells, while in the dining room was a large snow-capped mountain.

Those present besides the host and hostess, were Messrs. and Mesdames Geo. Heil, G. V. Cook, B. J. Warner, Chas. Leak, L. Miles, Earl Stice, Chas. Preston, A. H. Theal, E. D. Johnson, H. A. Wassum, O. M. Newman, B. H. McArthur, F. C. Blauer, Mr. Harrows and Mrs. F. M. Howard.

Christmas Music

On Sunday evening at the First Congregational church a double quartette, under the direction of Mr. Alan A. Revell, will give a Christmas service of song. This will be composed of four magnificent anthems and two old-time Christmas carols. Mr. Phillips will sing "The Star of the East," a solo by the well-known composer of "Jerusalem."

The anthems are full of glorious harmonies, of bright melodies and several well-known carols. The order of the service will be as follows: Processional—Carol—Jesus Christ is Born Today—Choir—Choir.

Invocation. Hymn—Congregation. Anthem—Sing, O Daughter of Zion. Reading. Anthem—Hail the Happy Day. Prayer.

Solo—"The Star of the East," Mr. Phillips.

During which the choir will sing the old carol "The First Noel." Anthem—"Sing O Heavens." Choir and Mrs. Johnson. Sermon. Anthem—Like Silver Lamps. Choir and Mr. Miles. Benediction.

Missionary Meeting

One of the most enjoyable of the always satisfactory meetings of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church, was held yesterday afternoon in the Sunday school room of the church. The room was beautifully decorated with holly, which was used in lavish abundance.

The devotionals of the meeting were conducted by Mrs. Foster, mother of the new county Y. M. C. A. secretary, Mr. Hamilton. The program for the afternoon was in charge of Mrs. O. S. Catland and Mrs. Frank Harris, the subject being "Cuba." The study was taken from the book "National Advance in the Antilles." Four ladies, Mesdames Austin, Bowman, of Tustin; Foster and Catland, gave talks on the subject.

Mrs. Severance gave a particularly

interesting demonstration in her talk on "Mission Current Events," using the blackboard for charts to illustrate the relative number of Christian and non-Christians in the mission countries, and also other points she wished to bring out. Following the papers and addresses, Mrs. Harris and Miss Havens sang a duet telling the story of the vicissitudes of Cuba which has had so dramatic a history.

Coffee and cake was served cafeteria style during the social period following the more serious side of the meeting. Probably seventy ladies participated in the meeting, which was also a reception for the twenty-five or thirty new members who have recently joined the society.

So So Club

The regular meeting of the So So Club was held with Misses Blanche and Lula Minter at their home on Third street on Tuesday afternoon. The rooms were beautifully decorated for the Christmas season in poinsettias, smilax, Christmas bells. Conversation and music by the Victorola occupied the afternoon, while the needles were swiftly piled. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the delightful afternoon.

Christmas Exercises

The United Presbyterian congregation will have Christmas exercises on Friday evening, Dec. 22, at 7:30 o'clock. There will be an interesting program, a tree and a treat for the Sabbath school attendants. But the new feature will be the cash offering by classes for the furnishing of the Sunday school room of the church. This will give an opportunity for the friends of the classes to come to the fore.

Entertained For Mother

Mrs. J. R. Wilcox delightfully entertained for her mother, Mrs. A. Becker, Tuesday. As it was her birthday, the affair was left as a surprise which was indeed a complete one. The color scheme was red. The entire room was decorated with the flowers used in table decorations. Luncheon was served in two courses and covers were laid for eight.

A delightful day was spent as many old memories were recalled, those present being former old friends in Michigan.

Off to Los Angeles

The teachers of Santa Ana city schools may a pilgrimage today to Los Angeles where they will join in the annual meeting of the Southern California Teachers' Association in which the teachers of the various counties exchange ideas and imbibe wisdom from the lips of prominent educators from various sections.

The present social features are enjoyed during these annual sessions.

blages, prominent among which are the concerts given each year by some eminent musician before the teachers. This year the artist engaged was Jan Kubelik, the famous violinist, who was to play in his superb style for them today. Many brilliant educators are scheduled to speak before the association.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Tope left for Los Angeles today, where they will visit with relatives and friends during Christmas week.

Prof. Beawick went to the city this morning. Miss Allie Hallett Taylor was among the teachers who attended the Southern California Teachers' Association this morning in Los Angeles. Miss Louise Bangs spent today in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Arthur Lyon was a Los Angeles visitor today.

GLENN MARTIN BUYS FORD TOURING CAR

Glenn Martin has purchased of the West End Garage a five-passenger fore-door Ford touring car of the torpedo type. Mr. Martin, up to two years ago, was the agent for the Ford automobile in Santa Ana and knows what the car will do. The car bought today is to be used by his mechanical men in following up his flying machine from one field to another. Later on Martin will buy another Ford car of the detachable tonneau type for use in hauling airplane motors.

FOUND THOMPSON GUILTY AS CHARGED

Yesterday in Los Angeles a jury brought in a verdict of guilty against Attorney Fred H. Thompson, charged with receiving stolen money. Thompson received \$15,000 stolen from the postoffice by Orlando F. Altorre, a clerk, who employed Thompson to defend him. Thompson spent the money. He was well known at Newport Beach, where he lived last summer and where as attorney he took part in a number of criminal trials.

THIS CLOTH PROBABLY STOLEN OVER YEAR AGO

Constable Jackson has received three pieces of tailor's cloth, enough to make three suits of clothes, from William McDonald, who lives on Logan street. McDonald stated that a year ago he bought the cloth from a man who was passing through. McDonald did not pay him then. Yesterday the man returned for his pay, and when McDonald told him that he had been deceived in the quality, and wanted the man to go to some tailor-shop for an opinion, the man cleared out. McDonald then turned the cloth over to Jackson.

Masonic Notice—Called meeting of Santa Ana Lodge No. 241 F. & A. M., Friday, Dec. 22, for work in the Second degree.

By order of A. H. PEASE, W. M. G. A. WHIDDEN, Sec'y.

"Sweetheart, I'm delighted with that beautiful box of Dragon Christmas candies you sent me."—His best girl.

Wise man's Variety Store will be open every evening this week. Headquarters for all holiday goods.

Candy baskets and other candy novelties at the Dragon.

Try the People's New Laundry for first-class laundry work. Both phones.

Too Late to Classify

HELP WANTED—A lady to assist with the work at the Detention Home. Must be a good Christian woman and know how to work with unfortunate children. Apply in the afternoon at 925 Grand avenue.

FOR SALE—Good tonneau for Maxwell runabout; also top. 117 North Main St.

FOR RENT—1 furnished housekeeping room suitable for one or two. \$5.50 per month. 402 Fruit. Red 2177.

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FOR SALE—Good driving or saddle horse. Five years old. \$80. 706 East Walnut St.

FOR SALE—Two glass show cases, glass bread case, two counters and tricycle. 911 West First St.

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching from choice Buff Orpingtons. R. F. Beswick, 1201 North Main St. Phone Red 3511.

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Can't You Hear Him Christmas Morning?

"By George! Just what I wanted—" "A lounging robe, fine umbrella, silk socks, knit ties and initial handkerchief—and all from a man's store, too. Thanks! thanks!! thanks!!!"

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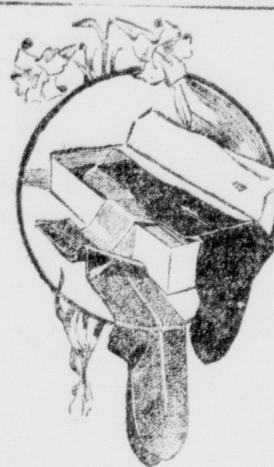
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Is It Neckwear?

Tell us the age of the party and we will help you to select just the right width and material—hundreds of patterns in every conceivable shape.

25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00



Is It Hose?

Did you ever know of any man who had enough hose?

Four pairs Interwoven guaranteed hose in Xmas box, \$1.00.

Two pairs Interwoven pure silk hose in Xmas box for \$1.00.

Initial pure linen handkerchiefs, 25c
Three extra fine linen handkerchiefs, boxed, \$1.00.

Phoenix Mufflers in Xmas boxes at 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50.

Manhattan fine shirts, \$1.50, \$2 to \$4.

Umbrellas of every grade, \$1 to \$5
Tie and hose sets to match, 35c, 75c, \$1.00.

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Suits for the man or young man, \$12 to \$30.00.

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Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When the tube is inflamed, it causes a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, Etc.

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From the very beginning of the custom of gift-giving at Christmas, the articles commonly chosen for ladies as being the most acceptable, have been the

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These goods formerly were exclusively a drug store line. Of late, however, some drug stores have taken on the appearance of department stores, stocking up on all sorts of goods, while their legitimate lines have been neglected.

PEOPLE EXPECT TO FIND FIRST QUALITY IN ALL GOODS BOUGHT AT DRUG STORES.

Drug stores that are all the name implies carry only standard articles of merit and handle no catch-penny department store goods.

Our line of Toilet Articles will be found up to your expectations, every day in the year. Just now we show an extra large line bought for the Holidays

REMEMBER DRUGS AND MEDICINES ARE OUR REAL BUSINESS AT ALL TIMES.

Hatzfeld & Parsons

Christmas Greetings

We are ready for you as usual with everything you will need for a big dinner. Get our prices on candy, nuts, raisins, figs and dates, and don't forget our celebrated "Mexican Blend" Coffee. We have those cooking bags you read about.

D. L. ANDERSON, The Cash Grocer

Phones HOME 12

Best Goods at Right Prices

Make Your Christmas Selections NOW

Make your choice and we will engrave and lay it away for you. It's an advantage to select while our line is complete. Our Catalog will help you. Call for one. They are beauties.

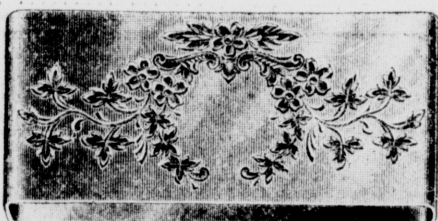
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ARE TO FIGHT FOR \$1 GAS

Orange, Anaheim and Fullerton Will Act Jointly Against Gas Company

They Believe That They Are Entitled to Same Rate as Santa Ana Has

ORANGE, Dec. 21.—Tonight a conference will be held between the city trustees of Orange, Anaheim and Fullerton for the purpose of making a fight to secure \$1 gas. These three cities are all supplied by high pressure lines from the plant of the Southern Counties Gas Co. at Santa Ana, which plant also supplies Santa Ana at \$1 per 1000 cubic feet. Orange, Anaheim and Fullerton have tried to get the gas company to reduce their rates to the same rate as Santa Ana's, but the gas company has refused on the ground that the conditions are different.

The Orange trustees have been given to understand by the gas company that the company will fight any attempt on the part of Orange to lower the rate of \$1.25. Since Anaheim and Fullerton are in the same situation the conference is to be held for the purpose of acting jointly to fight the matter out.

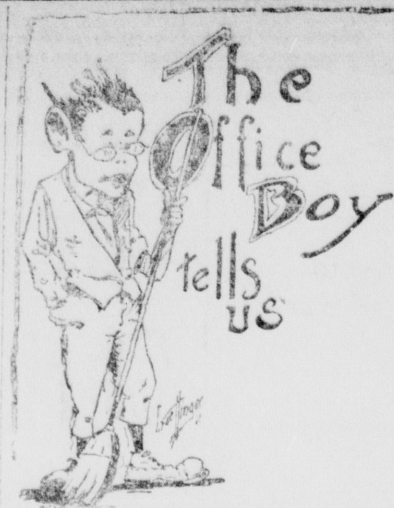
Gregg Has Resigned
City Trustee W. M. Gregg has resigned as trustee, and will move to Santa Ana. It seems to be generally understood that J. L. Wheeler, a traveling man, will be named as Gregg's successor.

You Can Cure That Backache
Pain along the back, dizziness, headache and general languor. Get a package of Mother Gray's AROMATIC-LEAF, the pleasant root and herb cure for all Kidney, Bladder and Urinary troubles. When you feel all run down, tired, weak and without energy use this remarkable combination of nature's herbs and roots. As a regulator it has no equal. Mother Gray's Aromatic-Leaf is sold by Drugists or sent by mail for 50 cts. Sample sent FREE. Address, The Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

—Three cars of oat and barley hay, one car of alfalfa, to arrive this week. Get our prices from car, Prince Grain & Milling Co.

A fine line of Christmas Cigars in Christmas Boxes, at fifty cents a box and up, at Deck's Pool and Cigar Store, 412 N. Main St.

Order your figs, raisins, nuts, dates, bulk mince meat and other delicacies for Christmas at the Union Grocery corner Fourth and Spurgeon streets.



That there's only 30 more hours for holiday gift buying.

That our Glenn Martin might properly be called the Glenn Currier of the Pacific Coast.

That a tenderfoot who recently arrived and had heard our principal crop was celery came near dying from shock when informed that Orange county produced nearly \$20,000,000 from her soil this year apart from celery.

That he was surprised to see the big stock of gift books at the Santa Ana Book Store as it included everything in holiday books that you would expect to see in the largest metropolitan book stores. There is surely some class to the S. A. Book Store. Have you seen Henry Hunt's new book of girlish girls and Whitcomb Riley's new book "When She Was Sixteen" which is illustrated by Christy? Everything bookish for the holidays may be found here, also the nice things you want in pictures and art goods.

That with every town on the coast talking "ceana" and "harbor," what's the matter with Santa Ana cutting a deep sea ditch to idewater like Birmingham did?

That if any citizen of this burg is getting ready to surprise the hopefuls of the family with a new bicycle or anything in the way of baseball goods, football wares, tennis supplies, etc., he will do well to give T. M. Hill a call as Hill has stocked up generously for the holidays and is looking for a share of your trade. There is nothing small about T. M. but his prices.

That when long distance telephone connections with New York are established O. B. wants to phone Broadway his regards if the "tolls" are not too loud.

That from all reports this blessed burg is experiencing something akin to a vacant house famine, but if any of the wise ones are refitting and decorating and need any wall papers, paints or glass (including beveled plates) they will do well to remember that P. H. McElree is now "contracting." He supplies all the help and guarantees prompt and efficient help at reasonable prices.

That you've got to hit up the P. O. shortly after daylight now if you want to get a chance to jolly the bunch in the hand-out windows.

That there is no end to the beautiful and useful things in a furniture store that can be utilized as holiday gifts but O. B. was particularly impressed with the wealth of small tables and writing desks that he saw at Lane's big outfitting emporium. There is no end of rockers, too, and Morris chairs in the various finishes, but you must see those artful little tables and the secretaries, commonly called writing desks. Take a look in at Lane's when passing.

That Dr. Wiley's remedy for bald-headed men gives a young fellow some food for thought but not pure food for thought.

That if there is one time more than another when the average man wants to tag up it is on or about the first day of the first month of the first year immediately succeeding, to-wit: New Year's Day. Everybody has a "call" to doll up on New Year's day and put up as good a front as the next fellow, which leads up finally to the reminder that you can choose from about 500 different patterns in made to order suits at the Suterium in the Home Telephone building on East Fourth street.

That if Mrs. Alice Longworth, who wants her pa to run for proxy, does not bring him any better luck than she did "Nick" when he ran for something in Ohio, she had better back up.

That you can get everything for that ideal Christmas dinner at J. O. McElroy's Ideal Grocery in the 400 block West, such as cranberries, celery, oysters, mince meat, fresh fruits, nuts and home baked goods, all of which will be delivered with ideal promptness and efficient service, thus giving the cook as well as other interested parties that satisfied Christmas feeling. Remember, there is two days left to lay in a supply.

We respectfully Solicit a share of your patronage. The People's New Laundry. Both phones.

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—Notice is hereby given to realty dealers that my 10-acre ranch is withdrawn from the market.
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Attend this, the very greatest Sale, Orange County has ever seen. Come and get your share of the biggest selection of Bargains ever offered. Come prepared to outfit the household and entire family at this Sale.

Women's Bargains

This small space allotted to this big department will not begin to enumerate all. Corsets, hosiery, petticoats and underwear, suits, skirts, coats and scarfs, ribbons and embroideries, buttons, laces, trimmings—everything and anything that you could possibly think of. Let us list here in short just a very few.

Ladies' all-wool Sweaters, in white, red or gray, excellent values at \$3.15 \$2.69, and as low as \$1.98

Ladies' fleece lined vests and pants, unbleached, worth 35c and in a weight that is thoroughly desirable for the ensuing season, just think of it, now 22c down to

White cotton Union Suits, high neck, long sleeves, at 82c, 77c and

Ladies' Cotton Hose, extra special values, 45c, 23c, 12c and only 8c

Up to \$3.00 values in Ladies' Corsets in black and drab, excellent models and enough variety to suit every taste and figure. Note the price. Here's a reduction well worth remembering—50c

\$9.00 and \$15.00 values in Misses' Corsets go at \$6.75

Children's Sweaters, excellent variety of desirable garments 69c

Other grades of Sweaters at \$1.58, \$1.35 and \$1.13

Gifts for Men

Outing Flannel Pajamas in all sizes and all possible effects. Good warm materials. The kind that will not shrink or pull out of shape. 50c more would be none too high for them. Buy them now at only \$1.35

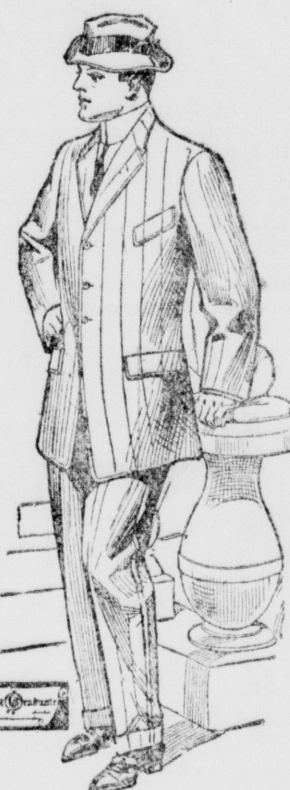
Regular 15c Hosiery in black, tan and fancy colors, you may depend on it that the men's hosiery we are now offering at this small price would bring just about double in down town stores. Per pair 11c

Men's Hosiery—packed 6 pairs in a box, each pair different. Here's a Christmas snap that's well worth a place on your shopping list. Be sure to see these. Per box 89c

Regular 50c fancy hosiery. You may be surprised to find these now being sold at a reduction but that's the Reinhaus way. When most wanted, prices are most cut. Remember regular 50c grade goes now at 25c

10c Handkerchiefs, in plain white cotton cambric, a simple weave and a strong and durable one. Handkerchiefs are always welcome as a gift. Choice now 8c

15c Handkerchiefs, cut to 11c. Here's a reduction that is practically one-third off, and when you consider that this price cut is made right in the midst of the holiday shopping, then you will realize just how thoroughly every piece in the stock has been cut. They are 11c



Mercerized Table Damask

Mercerized Table Damask, 56 inches wide, of beautiful snow white finish. Will hold its luster after washing, 29c
Cream Scotch Linens, 60 inches wide and more. Will bleach out perfectly—none better than Scotch linen and you know it. 68c and 46c

Crash Toweling—well suited for general use, or for roller towels in office, warehouse or kitchen. Per yard only 5c

Don't Overlook Our Silks and Dress Goods

Japanese Silks, 22 inches wide in every possible color, here it is at only, per yard, 24c

Seco Silk, 27 inches wide in large range of colors. Positively the best wash silk on the market. per yard 22c

Regular 50c Shantung Foulard Dress Silks in 27 inch width. A very durable silk that stands washing thoroughly well. Price per yard 29c

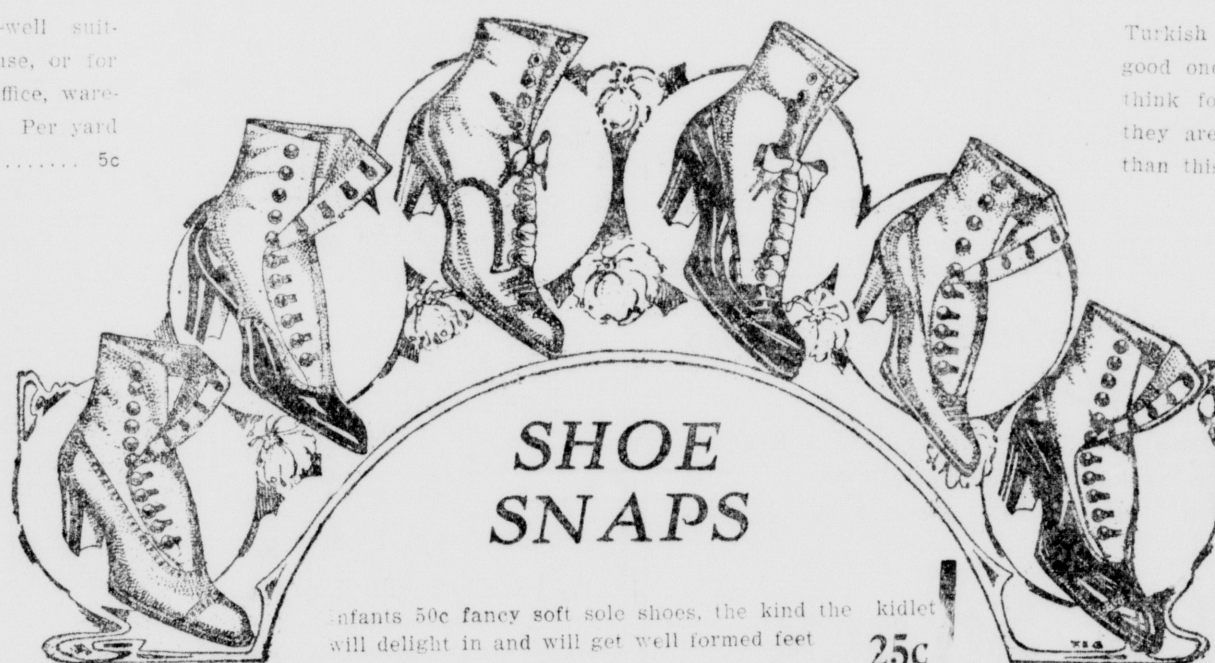
Henriettas and French Serges, strictly pure wool, all colors including black and cream, full 38 inches wide, and from one of the very best woolen mills in the country, now only 57c

Suit Cases and Trunks

Never was there such an opportunity to buy any kind of Suit Cases, Trunks or Valises, etc., as such reductions so shortly before Christmas season. Every piece of leather goods in our stock of durable construction and thoroughly dependable in every way.

Hansen's Gloves

For wearing qualities, for sturdy gloves, for guaranteed gloves, for union-made gloves, Hansen's gloves have no peer. We carry them in all various grades and kinds wanted and each price will be found a ROCK BOTTOM PRICE.



Infants 50c fancy soft sole shoes, the kind the kidlet will delight in and will get well formed feet from 25c

Infants' 85c patent leather Shoes in latest style, with turned soles, at almost half price 50c

Children's \$1.50 kid bluchers with extension soles, will lace so as to protect the growing feet and shape them naturally and just the right way \$1

Misses' \$2.00 kid bluchers, latest model with extension soles. Sturdy little shoes for the growing miss \$1.25

Cretones

Cretones in artistic patterns, suitable for many purposes, either in draping or in covering shirt waist boxes, etc. Good qualities at 13½c, 11½c and 7½c
Sateens for Comforters in endless lines of color. Of such strong and durable weave as will make every comforter in which this material is used practically last a lifetime. Very superior quality at only 23c

Turkish Towels—and very good ones at that. Don't think for one minute that they are not worth more than this small price 5c

Here's Your Chance to Buy Good Bedding Cheap

Special heavy gray blankets, wool fleeced, and a regular \$2.00 value. Full double bed size, now reduced to \$1.79
Regular \$2.50 fine plaid Blankets—full double blankets here in assortment of all colors. Note the reduction. They are now down to \$1.98
We carry a full line of the celebrated "Dixie" wool blankets than which there is nothing better on the market and you will find them here exceedingly low.
Reversible Comforts. Winter weight cotton filled and not filled with scraps and other unsanitary materials, but with full-sized sheets of pure, clean cotton quilted and stitched. See them here at \$2.25, \$1.80, \$1.35, and \$1.12

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DEPARTMENT STORE SANTA ANA

NEW THEATER IS TO BE ABANDONED BY WEALTHY FOUNDERS

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—The New Theater enterprise came to an end yesterday when, at a meeting of the founders of the institution at the residence of William K. Vanderbilt, it was decided to relinquish the project. This ends one of the most remarkable dramatic enterprises ever attempted in this country.

Through the official channels of the Metropolitan Opera House a statement was issued, which explains that, after a careful study of the situation, the founders "very reluctantly have reached the decision that it would not be wise to proceed with the enterprise at the present time."

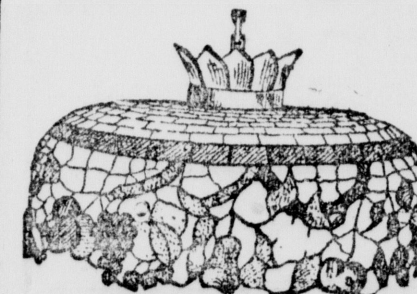
Among the founders of the New Theater were William K. Vanderbilt, Clarence H. Mackay, Otto H. Kahn, J. Pierpont Morgan and John Jacob Astor.

"BILLY" DELANEY, NOTED MAKER OF CHAMPIONS, IS ILL

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—According to attending physicians, Billy Delaney, maker of champion pugilists, who lives in Oakland, will never again be able to train a boxer and will be fortunate if he lives the present year out.

Delaney is confined to his bed at his home suffering from serious kidney and liver trouble and his physicians despair of his recovery.

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Portable Reading Lamp \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.50 and up to \$20.00.

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Nice Fat Turkeys and Chickens

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1/2 Price Sale

We have bought all the musical instruments of Liebig & Johnson, which includes Violins, Banjos, Guitars, Mandolins, Accordions, Auto-Harps, Ocarinas, and small musical supplies.

Desiring to close them out quickly, we offer them at half price. Come and make your selections quickly. Greatest bargains in Notions, Tablets, School Supplies, Box Paper, Envelopes, Pocket Day-Books, Baby Blankets, Cotton Blankets, Books, Bibles, Beads, Marbles. In fact everything you want. Don't forget the place.

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See us for our special offer and make arrangements for your work in advance of the rush season. This will insure delivery of pictures in time for Holiday presents.

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GETS REPORT ON OIL PRODUCTION

Along With Water Business,
A. N. W. Co. Hears From
the Amalgamated

ANAHEIM, Dec. 20.—The board of directors of the A. N. W. Co. met in regular session December 15.

Geo. L. Emerson appeared before the board and made request for a lease on a plot of ground about 100 feet square at the northeast corner of the Tuffree reservoir, for use in connection with his bee business. A motion was carried that Mr. Emerson be granted a lease for five years at \$25 per year, payable July 1 of each year, with the conditions that he keep no stock of any kind on the place, and that the company can have the use of the ground for any other purpose if necessary. Attorney Keech was instructed to prepare a lease accordingly.

Regarding request of the city of Anaheim for change of the line of the ditch on Walnut street, Attorney Keech reported that he had examined the county records and the city ordinance, and that it is his opinion that the company is under no obligations to make any change. Definite

action on the matter was deferred until the next meeting.

Attorney Keech rendered an opinion that the company has the right to maintain trees along the ditches for protection. The superintendent was instructed to give Mr. Keech the names of the parties who have been cutting the trees, and Mr. Keech was requested to take up the matter with the offenders.

The report of the Amalgamated Oil Company for the month of November was received and filed. Oil produced amounted to 9,885.21 barrels. Oil shipped, 5,262.82 barrels. Oil used for fuel, 2,879 barrels.

A bid was received from the Amalgamated Oil Company for the purchase of the company royalty oil for the year 1912. No action was taken.

The proposed construction of a pressure pipe line on Placentia avenue from pumping plant No. 2 to Gilman's northeast corner, was discussed, and also the proposed line from the latter point west to Cypress avenue. Definite action was postponed until the adjourned meeting.

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FOUR CONVENTIONS ARE GOING TO FRESNO

Preparations Are Being Made
By Raising City to Entertain Crowds

FRESNO, Dec. 21.—That four state conventions to be held in Fresno next April will bring 5000 visitors to this city and mean the expenditure here of \$100,000, is the calculation of those interested in the bringing of the gatherings here.

Committees of these organizations are planning co-operation, in order that the conventions shall not conflict and that by working together money and energy may be saved. The organizations which will be represented at this meeting are the Native Sons of the Golden West, at the head of whose committee is W. F. Toomey; the Dania, Dr. C. P. H. Kjaerby, chairman; Foresters, John Lemond, chairman, and the Spanish War Veterans, who will send representatives. The meeting will be held in the new armory, over the Morgan garage.

One purpose of the meeting is to arrange the dates so that they will not conflict, as not all of the dates are definitely set. The Native Sons of the Golden West convention has been set for the fourth Monday in April, which is April 22.

Another purpose of the meeting is to learn the plans of all the committees, so that a committee probably consisting of one representative from each organization may go before the Chamber of Commerce and lay before the members a well defined outline of the arrangements required for the conventions. It is argued that by making the plans for the convention uniform, considerable money will be saved.

A member of one of the committees mentioned that it would probably be suggested to the Chamber of Commerce that a committee of twenty-five men be appointed, to be divided into five subcommittees. One would be a finance committee for the whole entertainment, while the other four committees would arrange for one convention each. The members argue that at least 5000 people ought to visit Fresno during these four conventions, which is not only of immense advertising value for the city, but the visitors will leave considerable money behind them. Setting \$20 as the average of expenditure for the visitors in the week that they spend in this city, the merchants, hotel men, and restaurants will be the richer by \$100,000 after the four conventions are over. This being the case, the arrangement committees of the four organizations expect to secure contributions adequate for a royal entertainment of the visitors.

One item in which the committees believe the Chamber of Commerce could economize by making the entertainment of these conventions more uniform, is the matter of street illuminations. It happened last year that only a short while after the thousands of street electric lights strung along the principal streets for one convention, had been taken down, another convention was held, and the lights had to be put up again. It is argued that these illuminating features should be permanent.

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MIDNIGHT WEDDING WAS AUTOS FAULT

Garden Grove Couple Married
at San Diego—Machine
Broke Down Often

Los Angeles Examiner: Numerous breakdowns and the late hour of midnight did not deter James Allen Knapp, vice president of a Garden Grove bank, at Garden Grove, and Miss Nina Frances Richardson, a pretty school teacher of the same place, from carrying out a successful automobile elopement and being married at San Diego Wednesday at midnight.

Several times during their speedy trip to San Diego they were forced to stop and repair breakdowns, which prevented them from arriving in the southern city before the courthouse closed. Almost exhausted from the numerous breakdowns, Knapp finally succeeded in running the machine in to the city and, although it was midnight, they would not wait until morning.

Without a minute's delay they rushed to the home of the county clerk of San Diego, roused him out of bed, took him to the courthouse, secured a marriage license, and were married by Rev. W. W. Hull, there a few minutes after midnight.

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Hair Brushes	50c to \$5.00	Music Rolls and Bags	50c to \$1.00
Manicure Sets	50c to \$25.00	Comb and Brush Sets	75c to \$5.00
Toilet Sets	\$1.50 to \$15.00	Leather Cigar Cases	\$1.00 to \$5.00
Leather Traveling Sets	50c to \$3.00	Hand Paintings (Water colors)	75c to \$5.00
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Leather Collar Bags			25c to \$5.00

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FIGURE 5 AND OYSTER FEED

Recorder Peters Makes Good His Remark to Grand Jury Committee

Elegant Supper Served as Result of Discovery on the Last Page

A figure 5 put down in ink where a figure 4 had been in soft pencil was the reason County Recorder George E. Peters was host at a fine oyster supper at the Dragon last night. The grand jury was there, and it was two of its number, G. A. Shoemaker of Orange and R. J. Webster of Delmi, who discovered that there was a 5 where a 4 should have been.

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It came about this way. County Recorder Peters has gone along for a good long space of time without any grand jury finding an error in his fee-book. He adds the columns up twice himself and then uses an adding machine, so that he felt reasonably certain everything was exactly right.

"If you find a single figure wrong in those books," said the recorder as he turned the fee-books over to Webster and Shoemaker, "I will set up an oyster supper for the grand jury."

Webster and Shoemaker went to their task, with Mr. Phillips urging them not to overlook anything, and on the last month's work, the very last page and the very last figure of the last page, they found 10,975 instead of 10,974.

The figures, 10,975, were intended to show the number of folios copied in the recorder's office in November. As explained at the supper last night, Peters had added up the columns of figures, and had made the correct total of 10,975. This figure he wrote down in pencil at the foot, and on that figure he settled with the auditor for the month, as shown by the warrant. A few days later, when one of the deputies of the office erased the pencil figures and put in ink, she inadvertently made it 10,974 instead of 10,975.

"If I had said to the committee," said Peters last night, "that I would set up an oyster supper if they found a mistake, we would not be here to night, but I said that I would give the supper if they found a single figure wrong. They found the last figure of the year's work wrong, and we are here."

Everybody was good-natured and the best of good fellowship reigned at the table last night, with Peters at one end of the table and Mr. Phillips at the other, everyone enjoying the finest oyster feed of their lives. Oysters came in on the half-shell, they came in stewed and they came in in pates. Hot rolls, coffee and all the other accessories were added. The table, decorated in smilax and chrysanthemums aided in making the occasion enjoyable.

Cigars were provided for those who smoked, and after votes of appreciation of the host's hospitality and the committee's perspicacity, and amusing stories by Judge West and District Attorney West, the supper was ended.

During the evening it was proven beyond question that there was no rumor that Mr. Phillips had changed the figure on Peters. Recorder Peters' guests were: The grand jury—F. A. Holbrook, C. F. Tell, A. K. Cravath, A. E. Stockslager, C. S. Hubbard, George Claussen, and Mr. Phillips, of Santa Ana; F. E. Anderson and W. S. Hill, of Garden Grove; Willard Smith, E. H. Dierker, A. A. Shoemaker, William Kenyon, V. Sutton and B. S. Barton, of Orange; M. S. Davis, of El Modena; R. Webster, of Delmi; J. A. Phinney and A. L. Cotant, of Tustin; expert—A. Whidden, Judge West, District Attorney West, George McPherson and E. E. Stephenson.

The books of the recorder as reviewed by the grand jury show that he last year has been the biggest in the history of the office, which has been presided over for nine years by Peters. During the year Peters turned over to the county in fees the sum of \$15,283.05. The expense of running the office was \$3,257.07, leaving the county a balance of \$12,025.98.

MIT PHILLIPS LOSER DOLLAR

Grand Jurors Tell of Some of Their Experiences Witnessing Marriages

Among varied experiences being enjoyed by members of the grand jury is the experience of watching and witnessing the marriage ceremonies that are pulled off almost daily at the courthouse. Some of the grand jurors by this time have become expert witnesses. One of the expert witnesses is Mit Phillips of Santa Ana and another is G. A. Shoemaker of Orange.

Yesterday afternoon Phillips had another turn at witnessing. The couple was Frank N. Deane, 34, and Lucy Kirkpatrick, both of Los Angeles. Justice Cox tied the knot in his usual classical style, and Phillips was finishing the job with elegance and ease by signing his name on the proper line on the certificate.

The bridegroom paid Justice Cox \$10.00, and he still had a dollar left in his hands. He saw Phillips laboring over the certificate, and he came to the quick conclusion that witness was as necessary as a justice, and therefore the handsome gentleman with the pen was entitled to something. So the bridegroom laid the dollar on the table in front of Phillips.

"What?" said Phillips, in great surprise, "the county pays me the sum of \$2 a day for my valuable services as a grand juror. If I take that dollar, I will be getting more than my fellow grand jurors, which to some people might look like graft on my part, and—"

Phillips now knows that he who testifies is loser, for before he could utter another surprised word, Justice Cox had stepped over, seized bodily upon that dollar and had it safe in his own jeans.

Then Mit Phillips was surprised, and he isn't over it yet.

Grand Juror Shoemaker tells of another wedding that occurred yesterday. He says something like this:

"The judge did the job up right, as nobody can deny. The bridegroom must have had a streak of meanness in him though to have played the trick he did. It was a slight-of-hand trick, I guess. I saw him, and the judge saw him with a twenty-dollar gold piece in his hand. He steps over to the judge, slips him on the head, with one hand and jams the other into the judge's coat pocket, and says: 'Take that, old bald-top!'

He and the bride and the rest of the bunch went out, and I turned to the judge and said: 'Say, judge, you got a twenty out of that.' The judge smiled like a Santa Claus, and showed his hand into his coat pocket, and

draw out three round silver dollars." This couple were George Le Beau, 28, and Lucille M. Booth, 26 both of Los Angeles.

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SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA, THURSDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 21, 1911.

HOW ONE GOOD GOVERNMENT MAYOR PROPOSES TO RULE

Mayor Hunt of Cincinnati Expects Have
Real Civil Service by Elimination
of Partisan Politics

CINCINNATI, Dec. 21.—Even the men of his own party can not understand Henry T. Hunt, 33, mayor-elect of Cincinnati. What puzzles them is that he is actually starting out to keep his campaign promises.

Hunt is a Democrat. When he was running for office, he said: "This is not a democratic fight; it is a fight for good government."

And after he had been elected, he declared: "This is a victory, not for Democracy, but for Cincinnati—not for partisanship, but for patriotism."

And he is actually acting in the spirit of his conversation.

He is going to establish a real civil

service.

He will make efficiency, not vote-getting qualifications, the test.

He is going to make a rule prohibiting city employees from taking active part in politics whatever.

"Suicidal," the Democratic politicians are crying. "How does he expect to get more than one term without a party organization of office-holders? Who's going to get out the vote for him next time?"

But that's just where Henry T. Hunt, 33, is a better politician than any of the grizzled "wheel-horses" from whose lips has ascended a pitiful wail for them, too, will have to

toe to the efficiency mark if they would get the jobs they are after.

"I hope my conduct in office to give the people of Cincinnati a permanent lesson in the value of non-partisan administration of public affairs," says Mayor-elect Hunt. "And if I make good I am willing to place my political future in the hands of the people of Cincinnati. I am confident the people will be appreciative. They're tired of politics in city government, our people in Cincinnati," says Hunt. "That's why they voted for a change of administration. We have had political government long enough. We want a business government now."

"The distribution of offices for political reward made Cincinnati's Republican machine. We had at the city hall a veritable Praetorian guard of office-holders with George B. Cox as Caesar. These men felt that their first obligation was to Cox. And Cox grew rich through his ability to trade with corporations and others for the influence he had over these men. He owned their jobs and could fire the man who disobeyed."

"It's easy to 'get' a gang when you have the necessary legal instruments to uncover the facts. For a long time we had had suspicions that George B. Cox was getting rich on public

plunder. In fact, President Taft voiced the same suspicion in his Akron speech. But for a long time were unable to give the people proof. I was elected prosecutor. There had been rumors that large sums of county interest money had been given by county treasurers to George B. Cox, the boss. I brought these men before the grand jury and they told the truth."

"For the first time, then, we had the facts. George B. Cox was indicted."

"The people for the first time realized that the Boss who was powerful enough to command gifts of public moneys from county treasurers, must also be powerful enough to command distribution of contracts and franchises to corporations. And then they viewed with understanding the suspicious circumstances that surrounded the letting of certain street contracts last year."

"George B. Cox was freed of the perjury charge without trial and then the people saw that he even controlled the judiciary. And he strengthened this belief when he issued a bragging statement admitting he had been Boss and telling how he had nominated city and county officials."

"You see we no longer had mere suspicions. We had facts. We killed the Gang with facts."

"And the election of the Democratic anti-Gang ticket was a revolt against the conditions the facts disclosed. In an address I delivered before the National Municipal League, I took as my subject 'The Cincinnati Revolution.'"

"That is exactly what we have gone through—a revolution. Cincinnati has revolted against machine government, not merely Republican machine government, but all other kinds. I believe we have a mandate from the people that we must not nurse into being a Democratic machine similar to the Republican one that has just been destroyed."

"I believe that real Civil Service alone can prevent the building up of such a machine. Therefore we will have Civil Service. We will have experts at the head of departments and they will have to pass examinations. The jobs to be filled by experts will be open to men from all parts of the country. Cincinnatians, however, will be preferred—everything else being equal."

"We have in Ohio, now, a tax law that limits the amount of taxation a municipality may assess. This is a good law. It compels municipal economy."

"Now then we have economy only through efficiency in administration. We can secure efficiency only through efficient men."

"We can get efficient men only through Civil Service. And we can get real service only through elimination of partisan politics. No city employee will be permitted to take any part whatever in politics."

"Now it may be asked what we intend to have in place of the office-holders' or political organization which is thought to be necessary for political success. We propose to build an independent people's organization with ward representation. These ward organizations will be conducted not merely for political purposes but mostly to the end that the people of the wards may have a greater share in the business of the city government. They will have chairmen, it is proposed, through whom they will speak their needs and wishes."

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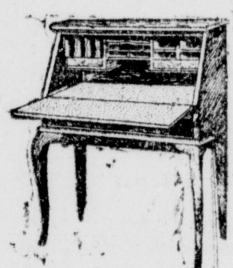
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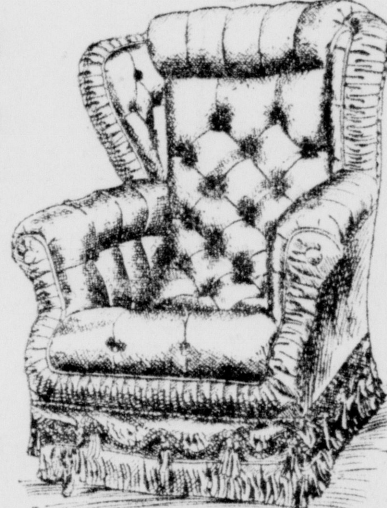


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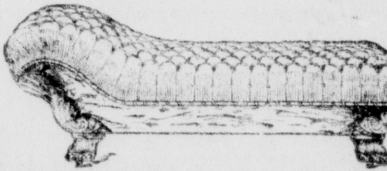
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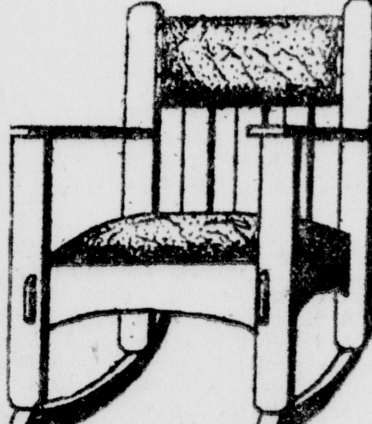
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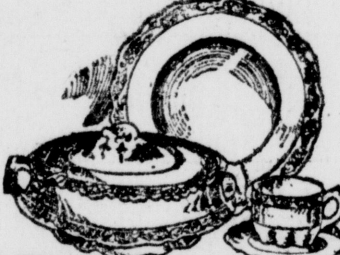
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HONOLULU, Dec. 21.—The Elks' cat has disappeared and it is believed that some one has stolen the pet. For the last three days the cat has been missing. A litter of kittens, which was born on the exalted ruler's chair, has suffered through the absence of the mother.

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PRICE OF HAY \$15 IN FIELD

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Some Time

ANAHEIM, Dec. 21.—With most any kind of hay commanding from \$15 up in the field, and little to be had at that, the man with the stock to be fed on a shortage of feed on hand, is finding little to be joyous about as Christmas approaches this season. On the other hand the man with the hay has occasion to feel that Santa Claus is treating him royally.

Hay dealers are about unanimous in the opinion that the price of this product is up to stay for a considerable time. Importation from other sections is the only hope for those who would like to see prices ease off. There is the same shortage of this crop in Arizona, Nevada, Utah and Oregon as there is in California, hence little relief can be looked for from the outside, and a hay famine is among the possibilities of the winter.

Looking forward to next season gives little comfort, if any, for the acreage going to hay and grain will be even less in this territory than it was during the present year. In fact it will be considerably less from all present indications, for there is an immense amount of old hay and grain land going into beets this winter for the first time. This is particularly the fact in the Westminster district where much ground is now being broken for beets which heretofore has been used for producing hay and grain.

This same change is being brought about in many more localities and a total of thousands of acres of former hay and grain lands will drop out of that production in this and future seasons. This change means more money to the land-owner and farmers, but it also means that the hay consumers must look forward to continued decrease in the crop unless they manage to interest new lands in production. There is very little land available at the present time.

New officers of the local I. O. O. F. Lodge have been elected, as follows: Eugene Adams, vice grand; C. W. Hedges, recording secretary; T. S. Gates, financial secretary and O. T. Cahlon, treasurer.

The local Masonic Lodge have elected the following officers for the coming year: J. Franklin Walker, master; William Falkenstein, senior warden; Charles Eysenroad, junior warden; C. A. Boege, treasurer, and Joseph Holmsen, secretary.

The ten churches of Anaheim are to have appropriate Christmas exercises this week, and the various committees are busy preparing entertainment for the hundreds of children in the Mother Colony City. Almost all the Sunday schools are to have Christmas trees. The four German churches will take an active part in celebrating the greatest event of all the year, and one German Sunday school is to furnish two trees.

Buys Town Property
Orange News) City Trustee M. Eltiste became the owner of valuable city property in a deal closed this morning, which also involved extensive acreage in Kansas. The Geo. M. Hoeschel Realty Company acted as agents.

Mr. Eltiste, who recently disposed of his home and a part of his ranch on East Collins avenue, has bought the entire holdings of A. A. Schlasmann in this city. This includes 3 1/2 acres on South Tustin street, a house and three lots at Center and Washington, and the Schlasmann home, a fine modern residence at Grand and Washington. The price named was \$11,000. Mr. Eltiste's 150-acre farm in Pottawatomie county, Kansas, is given as part payment in the deal.

Mr. Schlasmann will move within the next two months to take possession of the Kansas land. Mr. Eltiste with his family will move to the Schlasmann residence to make their home.

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A Series of Articles on The Tariff Question

BY EDWARD M. NEALLEY

FIRST INSTALLMENT

Before the American people at the present time, awaiting national legislation, are five live issues. They are:

Railroad regulation.
Trust regulation.
Immigration.
Currency, and
The tariff.

What is the tariff? You will get various answers to the question. To some it is the fount of every blessing enjoyed by the American people, invested with some of the sacredness attaching to things holy—like President Taft's characterization of the Supreme court: "Most like heaven of human institutions."

But to others the tariff is responsible for all that goes wrong in American politics. "Extortion and robbery are mild terms," declares a recent critic, "in which to describe the protective tariff." Another declares that this extortion amounts to a billion dollars a year. It grinds

the poor, says one; it makes a laboring man's paradise, says another. A newspaper editorial of recent date sums up the matter as follows:

"1. All of the real prosperity in the United States has been under protection.

"2. All of hard times in the United States has been under anti-protection.

"3. Prosperity never has returned until the return of protection.

"4. The farther Congress, in its tariff, has departed from protection, the more disastrous have been the consequences.

"5. The farther Congress has gone in the direction of full protection, the more prosperous have the people become.

"6. In all our national experience there is not even one exception to these propositions."

Well, that is fine! It is very helpful to have things served up to us in clear-cut propositions that settle the matter once for all, and admit of no bothersome exceptions. It saves time.

But what is this tariff that is both divine and devilish? It is four things at least. It is:

A name.
A history.
A program, or policy.

As a name it means simply a price list, a table of rates. But it is more than a price list. The history of tariff theory is to a large extent the history of the modern nations. As a policy, we might speak of the American tariff as an industrial Monroe Doctrine, or a Declaration of Industrial Independence. At no time in our American history, I believe, have

we been at a more interesting period in tariff discussion than right now. We have come to the end of a certain road we have been traveling, and there is a parting of the ways, and we are a bit confused over the sign boards. I would say there is a crisis on, if it were not for the fact that the word has been over-worked. There is always a crisis on where there is life and movement. All periods are periods of transition. There are no landing places in the stairway of evolution, no camping grounds where we settle down and remain "happy ever afterwards." The problem we settle today is settled for today only; tomorrow that same problem will be in a new setting, and today's solution will not fit.

President Taft was inaugurated in March, 1909. The party platform on which he was elected contained the following pledge: "The Republican party declares unequivocally for a revision of the tariff by a special session of Congress immediately following the inauguration of the next President," etc.

Congress met as promised and the Payne-Aldrich bill was passed in August. It is conceded that Mr. Aldrich, the high priest of high protection, had far more to do with the bill as finally adopted than Mr. Payne. Some duties were lowered, some increased, but the bill as a whole maintained substantially the average Dingley rates, against which the whole country had protested, and from which the Republican platform had promised relief. President Taft attempted to convince the people that the bill was a substantial fulfillment of the party pledge, but the fall elections clearly indicated that the people were not convinced.

President Taft had strongly urged reciprocity with Canada, and called Congress together in special session last spring. A bill was passed in accordance with his recommendations. But a Democratic House took advantage of the occasion to go further in the matter of tariff legislation. Congress passed three tariff bills, the wool bill, the cotton bill and the farmers' free list bill. All of these the President promptly vetoed on the ground that they were haphazard measures, hastily prepared, and that it would be wiser to wait for the findings of the special tariff commission which was at work on these schedules, and would be ready to report in December. As the Canadians refused to adopt the reciprocity act, all tariff legislation attempted at this special session came to naught.

Congress is now convened in regular session, and the tariff question will come prominently before it. The people have spoken in no uncertain tones. There is a demand for immediate downward revision. What is Congress likely to do? 1912 will be a presidential year. Both sides will play politics, and any bill that is passed will be a tariff framed for political ends. And there will be some interesting plays no doubt. The issues and the party alignment and factions are not clear-cut. There will be grand-stand performance;

both in and out of Congress. No scientific tariff is at all likely. We can expect only compromises which will probably satisfy no one, and least of all the people as a whole. Tariff legislation will be immensely complicated by the trust question. The trust and the tariff at present are linked together almost as closely as the Siamese twins.

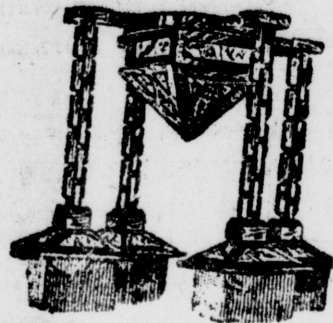
On the other hand, the people of this country have formed a pretty definite notion of what they want. By the people I mean those of the voting population who are not connected with "special interests"—the big business interests which such men as Senator Aldrich represent and always has represented in his long career in the Senate.

The popular demand may be formulated, I think, somewhat as follows: The principle of protection has done its work, and there should be a gradual transition to a free trade policy. This transition may be accomplished by a series of next steps, (a) the abolition of protective duties on raw materials; (b) the abolition of duties on trust-made goods, and (c) by reciprocity concessions to develop foreign trade.

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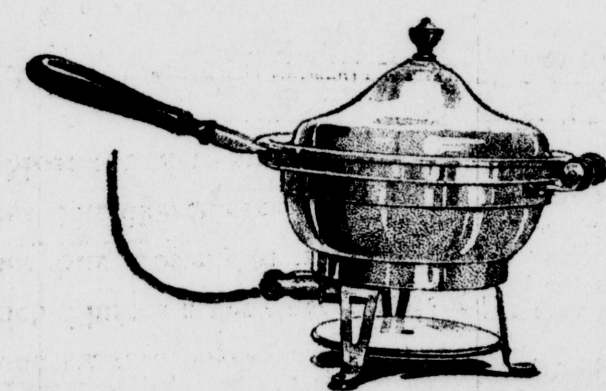
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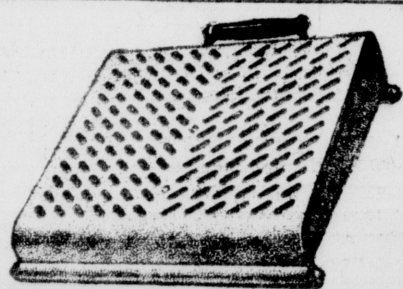
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